

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Terumoto AKATSUKA

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MULTI-BAND VOLTAGE-CONTROLLED  
OSCILLATOR

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents,  
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

Prior to initial examination of the above-identified PCT application, kindly amend the application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Kindly replace the English translation of the application with the attached Substitute Specification.

The specification has been reviewed and revised, and a substitute specification has been prepared. No new matter has been added. Also enclosed is a "marked-up" copy of the amended portions of the original specification to show the changes that have been incorporated into the substitute specification. The enclosed "marked-up" copy is entitled "*Version with Markings to Show Changes Made.*"